

# Kansas Division of Emergency Management Training

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## PER-212—Operational Level Response to HazMat/WMD Incidents Course

March 29-31, 2016 • 8am to 5pm

Allen County Regional Hospital • 3066 N. Kentucky Street, Iola, KS

This course focuses on the unique personal protection challenges that responders face during a weapons of mass destruction (WMD)/terrorist incident or hazardous material incident. This course is based on NFPA 472 (2008) consensus standard operations-level core competencies and PPE mission specific competency, OSHA (29CFR 1910.120) and EPA (40CFR Part 311) response regulations. PER-212 provides the knowledge and skills needed to obtain certification through the National Professional Qualifications System (NPQS/ProBoard) as an Operations-level responder.

### Topics

- Assessing WMD hazards
- Predicting the likely behavior of WMD materials
- Identifying defensive strategies for a WMD incident
- Effectively operating and communicating in a unified command structure of the Incident Command System (ICS)
- Determining detection equipment and Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) needs
- Donning PPE
- Performing emergency decontamination

At the completion of this course, participants will be required to pass a comprehensive final exam. If successfully passed, participants will receive a certificate of completion.

### Target Audience

Emergency personnel who will respond to WMD terrorism or hazardous materials incident. Course participants include responders from the following disciplines/services: State, county and local law enforcement agencies; emergency medical services; fire/rescue service; public works/utility workers; emergency management; public health; health care providers; other allied government agencies tasked with WMD or HazMat response.

### Requirements

Participants must work in one of the above disciplines/services and it is recommended that they complete the AWR-160—TEEX/ESTI online course. This can be found free online at: <https://teex.org/Pages/Class.aspx?course=AWR160&courseTitle=WMD/Terrorism+Awareness+for+Emergency+Responders> This training will be conducted by TEEX.

If you have specific questions about this training, please contact Erin McGinnis at [erin.m.mcginis2.nfg@mail.mil](mailto:erin.m.mcginis2.nfg@mail.mil) or (785) 274-1413.

**The deadline to register is March 28, 2016. Lodging arrangements or reimbursements will not be offered by KDEM for these sessions.**

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### Need help?

Isabel Herrera Schultes at [maria.i.herrera13.nfg@mail.mil](mailto:maria.i.herrera13.nfg@mail.mil) (785) 274-1412 OR KS-TRAIN Help Desk [helpdesk@kdheks.gov](mailto:helpdesk@kdheks.gov) (785) 296-5655

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### KS-TRAIN FAQs

• **How do I sign up for a TRAIN user account?**

Log onto <https://ks.train.org>. Click on "Create an Account," which appears underneath the login on the left hand side of the screen. Review and accept the Terms and Conditions. Fill out all of the necessary information on the subsequent pages. (If you'd like, you can also fill in the optional information.) When you have finished, click "Continue" to enter the site.

• **How do I find courses to take?**

There are several ways to do this. If you have a Course ID Number: enter this number in the "Search by Course ID" box (the second pale-blue box below the Kansas Seal). If you don't know the Course ID number you can click the "Course Search" link at the top of the screen. From this page you can click "Browse" to view all course offerings in TRAIN, or you can use any of the tools in the "Search Options" list to help narrow your results.

• **I've registered for a course – where do I find confirmation of this?**

All of your course registrations can be found by clicking "My Learning" from the home page. This will include all in-progress courses. With courses offered by Kansas Emergency Management; you can expect to receive an email confirmation from our office within 3 working days after you submit your registration for approval.

• **I signed up for a "Live" course and can no longer attend. Who should I contact?**

You can withdraw yourself from any course by going to the Course Management page and clicking the "Withdraw" button. You can also contact Isabel Herrera Schultes at [maria.i.herrera13.nfg@mail.mil](mailto:maria.i.herrera13.nfg@mail.mil) or 785-274-1412 if you need help withdrawing.

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